

## House Resolution No. 1057

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives take tremendous pleasure in the depth and vitality of the Show-Me State economic foundation which are abundantly demonstrated when entrepreneurs at the local level initiate well-planned business ventures to meet the needs of communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, Sherry Richards and Steve Oligschlaeger have opened the American Cafe in the former Dairy Queen building on East Liberty Street in Mexico, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, utilizing the red, white, and blue structure for inspiration, Sherry Richards and Steve Oligschlaeger named their new gustatory enterprise "American Cafe" at the suggestion of Sherry's granddaughter; and

**Whereas**, in addition to its red, white, and blue interior, the American Cafe has black-and-white family pictures hanging from its walls to further its sense of homey ambiance; and

**Whereas**, the American Cafe is a family-style restaurant which justifiably boasts the slogan of "Home cooked food at its finest"; and

**Whereas**, the American Cafe offers a wide selection of midwestern fare, including prime rib, fried chicken, and fried catfish entrees; an all-day buffet with three different meats and an assortment of vegetables, side dishes, homemade cobblers, and cream pies; and a weekend breakfast buffet; and

**Whereas**, Sherry Richards and Steve Oligschlaeger are proud to offer Wal-Mart employees, senior citizens, and law enforcement personnel a discount on their meals; and

**Whereas**, the American Cafe held its Grand Opening on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, 2003, with a traditional ribbon-cutting ceremony followed by a just-as-traditional dinner option of corned beef and cabbage:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the establishment of the American Cafe by co-owners Sherry Richards and Steve Oligschlaeger and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon the success of their business thus far and our best wishes for continued achievement now and in the future; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Grand Opening of the American Cafe in Mexico, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Steve Hobbs  
District No. 21

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1057, adopted March 27, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker